POETRY

If your green sells had eggs.
If a tramp comes round and begs.
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If you do not like the way
You are soaked for breakfast hay,
Just start in without delay.
Investigate it.

If your transfer is refused.

Investigate it;

If you're peeved or just amused,
Investigate it;

If you're soaked for beans or flour,
If the milk you get is sour,
Take the custom of the hour,
Investigate it.

If you think your rent's too high,
Investigate it;
If the buby starts to dry,
Investigate it;
Though it will not change your let.
By one solitary jot,
If you'd know just what is what
Investigate it.
—Edwar M. Guest, in the Detroit Free
Press.

THE REAL GOOD.

"The workmen have riruck again,

What for, more money?"

"No sir; 'hi ti e a ia for longer dinner hou s.' — Detroit Free Press.

KALEIDOSCOPE

The planet Mars is never nearer to the earth than \$6,000,000 mhes. Of people who are lame, 85 per cent. are affected on the left side Nearly 70,000 000 wild animals are killed yearly for the sake of their

One Berkshire county man carries between \$300,000 and \$400,000 life insurance.

A London factory owner believes he s the first man to use an amplane engine as an ordinary power source. On a new motor truck for heavy load the entire-front axle, wheels and driver's seat turn as it is steered. At Clear Lake, Minne, John and jartin Nölgelhout, twins, have just sarried Gertrude and Hattle Buert,

habintants, has four hotels that do not open their dinling rooms to the pub-lic, so that Turners Falls families that wanted to eat the Thanksgiving dinner at a hotel had to go out of

A hen belonging to Charles McFarland of South Bristol, Me., was found after the snow storm last week in a stolen nest expopsed to the weather at the foot of a birch tree, with 13 eggs, from which she had hatched four lively chickens

One of the wonders of the British Dairy Association show, cacording to the London Daily News, is a Danish appliance for keeping milk fresh for two years or more. Cream bottled last May was found by a press representative to be excellent. No preservatives are used. The apparatus is known as the "homogenizer" and the preserving force is a pressure of 2,000 pounds to the square inch.

Dickens' Two Love Affairs.

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The many biographers of Charles Dickens have made little mention of his love affaira, though it is certain that the great novelist had loved passionately in his time, ears a writer in London Ideas. It is only in out-of-the-way little books that one comes across such revelations as this:

"When only a boy of five years Charles Dickens had it little playmate named Lucy, a beautiful fair-haired chi'd, whom he loved to distraction.

"It was his first love, ant'only a baby affection at that but the novelist never forgot it. It is a fact that she is the heroine of at least one Dickens novel."

The original of Dora Speniow in

The original of Dora Spenlow in "David Copperfield" was a later love of Dickens and one which was unhappy for him. The lady early in the secusintance encouraged his affections but her parents objected on the score of the rocition he then held in life and she inclined to their view.

She went sway to Paris to study art and completely forced the unhapsy lover. Later, when Dickens had attained fame as a novel'st she wrote to him and after a time there was a meeting.

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But the indy whom the novelist had known and loved had channed. Charles Dickers at all times a sentimentallature property of the description of the channel of th

WESTERLY

onial express, Tuesday night, and a mishap was avoided by the alertness and quick action of Henry A. White-house, the locomotive engineer. When half a mile east of the Kingston station the engineer noticed as the train approached the distant signal that hig sparks were firing from under the locomotive. The train was going at a slow rate at that time, about twentyrate at that time, about twentyslow rate at that time, about twenty-five miles an hour. The emergency brakes were applied and the train of ten cars well filled with passengers, was brought to a steadstill. Engineer Whitehouse made an examination and found that the steel tire of one of the rear wheels of the locomotive had worked loose, and almost caused a devantage of the locomotive had worked loose, and almost caused a devantage of the locomotive had worked loose, and almost caused a devantage of the locomotive had worked loose, and almost caused a devantage of the locomotive had worked loose, and almost caused a devantage of the locomotive had worked loose, and almost caused a devantage of the locomotive had worked loose, and almost caused a devantage of the locomotive had worked loose, and almost caused a devantage of the locomotive had well and two nurses. Four ribs on the left

Gotham—He's employed by the city. Kethall team, made up of H Methale on the States and A Make forward. Stonehouse and A Make forward. Stonehouse man.

Claudia propped her elbows on the seawall and gazed entrancedly over a sme with Taylor. Anderson, Kenneth and wowler, substitutes, is scheduled for seawall and gazed entrancedly over a sme with the South Kinnston team the bay to where the great dread-noughts loomed like grim battlement-

don Funch.

Solicitor—You don't think my job a real one? Why I'm a traveling salesman. I sell brains, not muscle.

Solicited—Well, I must say, you're the first traveling salesman I ever saw that doesn't carry a sample with him—Yale Record.

The workness.

There was a close call for the Co-|severely cut and she was rendered un-

found that the steel tire of one of the rear wheels of the locomotive had worked loose, and almost caused a derailment. It was necessary to hold the disabled locomotive on the main line until the tire was put into place, would mean derailment. Traffice was and muscles are injured.

That the Garde hotel building in Hartford has been sold by Walter S. Garde to Thomas C. Harde for \$609. The passengers on the Colonial were transferred to the Shore Line express which crossed over at Kingston and proceeded east on the westbound track.

ing greens for Christmas decorations of the church. Mrs. Thomas Glover and two chil-dren have returned from a visit. in

Pawtucket.
What We Inherit From the Forela-thers was the topic of Rev. Dwight C. Stone at the weekly meeting in the Congretational church, Wednesday evening.

Miss Elsa Killars has returned from New York where she has served in a private hospital as graduate. nurse. After the holiday season she will en-

ter the government employ as nurse. JEWETT CITY

Parents' Day will be observed a livers'de Grammar school thi Riverside Grammar school this (Thursday) afternoon. The program will consist of regular school work and exercises in keeping with the time of year. Everybody interested in the schools is being urged to attend.

At the night school Tuesday evening, following three-quarters of an hour at regular work the evening school classes adjourned to the assembly hall for a social time. This was arranged by the teachers, Misses Burrall and Browning. The men and women enjoyed games and singing. After this a lunch of sandwiches cake and coffee was served.

The vital statistics for November Rivers'de Grammar (Thursday) afternoon.

Tuesday, Dec. 2 a solemn high mass mass Rev. Father Mathleu pronounced mass of requiem was sung in St. Thoams church for the repose of the boul of the beloved pastor of the church, who was so suddenly called to church, who was so suddenly called to his reward on Thanksiving day. STONINGTON

It is said that sugar is stored in Stonington and will not be released for sale until the price is advanced. In any sequence the retailers cannot buy and individuals have to get along the control on this people and the good fortune to meet and know him. St. Thomas church on this good fortune to meet and know him. St. Thomas church on this good fortune to meet and know him. St. Thomas church on this cocasion was packed by his parishioners from this fown and the mission of St. Anne at Glasgo of which he was also pastor and thurch were busy educaday night ty-

USEFUL XMAS **PRESENTS**

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SKATES

Women and Girls

SHEARS—SCISSORS **PYREX WARE ALUMINUM WARE** CARVING SETS SLEDS SKATES

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Joseph Gieser, who has been confined to his home for several months suf-fered a shock Friday and is in a crit-

Children Cry for Fletcher's

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The Maple Leaf, the new shop in the Rioux block, Jewett City, opens as Friday at 6 p. m. Beautiful dolls, dainty camisoles, kimonas, holiday hosiery; special gifts for men; great variety in infants wear. Open evenings until Christmas—adv.

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Greenwich, Conn., Dec. II.—Several recent assauls upon young women who have been beared up, in the opinion of the police, in the conviction to have been cleared up, in the opinion of the police, in the conviction to have been neurities for three weeks, is improving.

The young people of the M. E. thurch, under the direction of Mrs. erome Greer are preparing to proceed the conviction of the pageant is in five episodes and is a very beautiful production.

The annual Christmas festival and ree will be held in the church Christmas in five episodes and is a very beautiful production.

The annual Christmas festival and the committee. Mrs. Joseph Johnston Mrs. A. H. Beard, Mrs. Samuel Hiebee and Mrs. Pohort Adamson.

The exhibit of paintings being held in Boston by G. Eliot Euroking, the weel known artist, who makes his ments just before that.

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What Is Going On Tonight.

Movion Pictures at Breed Theatre. Vaudeville and Motion Pictures at Strand Theatre. Norwich Stationary Engineers' Asso-dation, No. 6, meets in Carpenters Hall Morwich Lodge, No. 430, B. P. O. E., meets in Elka Mone.
Tecumsen Trita, No. 42, I. Q. R. M., meets in Engineers Hall.
Canten Oneco, No. 3, M. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows Hall.
Clover Temple, No. 9, P. S., meets in Pythian Hall.
Victory Todge, No. 4, I. Q. Q. F., M. U., meets in Pythian Hall.
Germania Lodge, No. 4, I. Q. D. H. S., meets in Pythian Hall.
Court Sachem No. 34, F. of A., meets in Foresters Hall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TEMPORARY RECRUITING STATION AT POST OFFICE Any one destring to obtain informa-tion about the navy shou'd call at the bost office. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

BREED THEATRE.

ARE FACING STARVATION

Washington, Dec. 17. - Starvation faces from fifteen to twenty million persons in central Europe outside Germany unless "some ouick means can be discovered for their ass' tence," Herbert Hoover, furmer food administrator said today in a fermal statement. Unless relief is mirkly furnished, he predicted a breakdown of stable government in the countries affected and "creation of another cesspool like

To meet the situation, Mr. Hoover proposed that the "great surplus of wheat and flour" held by the grain cor-

South Norwalk Coun. Dec. 11.—
William Jeonard and James Wargo,
of West Norwalk, weer rescued late
last night by Capt. Richard O. Hendricks of the lighthouse service, after
having been marconed for two days
and three nights, without food or shelter, on Rams Island, outside the Norwalk harbor. Both men suffered severely, from frost bites on the face,
hands and feet and are under a physician's care today.

They left South Norwalk Sunday on
a clamming trip Losing their bearings in a thick fog they rowed aimlessly about until Monday morning,
when they drifted ashore on Rams Island. Their rowboat was blown away
by a gale shortly after they landed.

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HARTFORD MAN ARRESTED FOR KILLING HIS LANDLORD

Hartford. Conn. Dec. 17.—Samuel Bobrow'cz was arrested by the Hart-ford police tonight on a charge of murder. He is alleged to have shot and killed Frank Szareiko th's afterand killed Frank Szareiko th's afternoon following an argument over a
three weeks' board bill which Szareiko
claimed was due him. The shouting
took place in the kitchen of Szareiko's
home. He ran from the room with
three bullets in his holy, crossed a
rour porch and well dend in the kitchém, of an adjoining tenement.

Bobrowicz 's allered to have flad
from the scene. Ton'cht he entered
the house where the murder occurred
and was quickly overpowered by police who were there.

16TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORVILLE WRIGHT'S FIRST FLIGHT

New York, Dec 17—Lord Northoliffe today cyhled to the Aero club of America his constitutions on the sixteenth anniversary of the first series in America made at Wittshawk, N. C., Dec 17, 1903, by Orvive Wright, The club carrying out its annual creations of the series and Katherine Wright, who were closely associated with early serial navigation in this counter, "Next year," the telegram and will surely see flights around the world."

Chinage Aide to Admind C'aging Peking, Wednesday, Dec 10 'By the A. P.) - The Chinese government has setailed Lieutenant Commander Tsuchangchu to serve as aide to Admiral Albert Glienves, commander of the As feet who will arrive at Chin-Wang-Tao, in the Gulf of Lio-Tung-rathe cruiser South Dekota next Sunday.

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